

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 1428 - SB 1632**

January 31, 2014

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires the Board of Pharmacy to provide consultation to the Department of Health regarding drugs to be dispensed by the Department or by a local health clinic. Requires the Department to develop policies and protocols for inventory controls, accountability, repackaging, security, storage, issuance and dispensing of drugs by state and local health departments. The Commissioner of Health is authorized to appoint a state or regional pharmacist to oversee these tasks and is further authorized to promulgate rules and regulations to effectuate these provisions.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Currently, the Board of Pharmacy controls the dispensation of drugs by the Department of Health or a local health clinic.
- This bill would not change, in any significant manner, the amount of drugs or the process of how drugs are dispensed by either the Department or a local health clinic; Therefore, any fiscal impact to state or local government will not be significant.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lucian D. Geise".

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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